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Atty. Dkt. No. ZIMR/0005

REMARKS

This is intended as a full and complete response to the Final Office Action dated November 16, 2005, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on December 16, 2005. Please reconsider the claims pending in the application for reasons discussed below.

Claims 6-20 and 22-53 remain pending in the application and are shown above. Claims 17-20 and 22-53 stand withdrawn by the Examiner as being drawn to non-elected inventions and/or species. Claims 17-20 and 22-53 have been cancelled by Applicant, without prejudice, and Applicant reserves the right to present the cancelled claims in a divisional application. Claims 6-16 are indicated to be allowable by the Examiner.

The references made of record are noted. However, it is believed that the references are not pertinent to the Applicant's disclosure. Therefore, Applicant believes that a detailed discussion of the references is not necessary for a full and complete response to this Final Office Action.

Having addressed all issues set out in the Final Office Action, Applicant respectfully submits that the claims are in condition for allowance and respectfully request that the claims be allowed.

Respectfully submitted,



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